



5th Grade News



September 20, 2024

From Ms. Julie

Parent Night

I am looking forward to seeing all of you on Parent Night, September 26th. I will be going over our English and Language Arts curriculum, and our Math. I will also address some of the information I feel would be important for you to know about how we operate in class.

Yoga Pose of the Week:



Upward Facing Dog

Word of the Week:

Empathy

Spelling Words

belong frequent recite
nation zero passage
too making said
always premature ruptured
quartered sure know
secret people pretty
determined merchandise

Constitution Day

We learned about the Constitution in honor of Constitution Day, September 17th. We saw a short presentation about what the constitution represents, and looked at the preamble to decipher what the wording means. We also are learning the Schoolhouse Rock song, "The Constitution". It puts the words of the preamble to music, and helps explain the uniqueness of our US Constitution.

Current Class Read Aloud:

The Phantom Tollbooth

By Norton Juster

We are about halfway through the book!

Be sure your student has a water bottle. The temperatures have been in the 90's. We all need to stay hydrated.

Volunteers!

Volunteer opportunities are regularly appearing in Sign up Genius. Please check for opportunities that fit your schedule.

Important Dates to remember!

9/17/24-Progress Reports

9/17/24-Flu Mist given for students with returned forms

9/18/24-Sept. Early Release
Wednesday

9/26/24-Parent Night

Topic-Curriculum Night ELA & Math

9/25-Field trip \$\$ due

10/11 Field trip to Carson Springs

Please complete all paperwork for the beginning of the year! We need

to know how to reach you in case of an emergency. Thank you to all who have completed this step!

Social Emotional Learning

September Character Trait:

Respect

What is the Guardian program?

Fifth grade is teamed up with Kindergarten in our Guardian program. All fifth grade students who wanted to participate were assigned one or two kindergarten "gifts" to help and sit with during Morning Meeting. We also met with them Thursday to try a SEL activity that was set up in the Great Room for all classes. The Guardian teams went around with their charges and read and tried some of the activities for calming themselves and making friends. Our fifth graders are becoming very responsible school leaders! I am so proud of them.